Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 26 Feb 2022 until 23:59 on Sunday 27 Feb 2022

Forecast Issued on Saturday 26 Feb 2022 at 02:07

Confidence: Good confidence for a couple of dry days Saturday and Sunday, before further rain Sunday. Confidence in details falling Low Tuesday onward, especially regarding cloud amounts Tuesday and any rain Wednesday.

Headline for Saturday 26 Feb 2022: Windy. Mainly dry. Some bright spells.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 26 Feb 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales High Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Medium Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Clear night	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
10%	10%	<05%	00%	00%	00%

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Weather: A dry start but perhaps a few spots of rain and one or two higher summits obscured. Any cloud should tend to lift, thin and break through the day, with brightness coming through and some afternoon sunny intervals. Staying windy throughout, however with a notable wind chill. Dry during the evening, with largely clear skies.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 40%, becoming greater than 90% in the afternoon.

Low Cloud and visibility: Cloud obscuring some summits above 700m during the morning, however this cloud-level lifting through the day, with all tops likely clearing through the afternoon. This will allow good to very good views from all levels.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	41/47 S	46/55 S	45/57 S	42/54 S	41/51 S	45/55 SE	44/55 S
600	31/38 S	33/42 S	37/48 S	36/47 S	30/40 S	33/44 SE	31/41 S
300	21/36 S	23/39 S	27/44 S	27/44 S	21/38 S	23/42 SE	20/38 S
Valley	21/36 S	23/38 S	27/44 S	27/43 S	22/39 S	25/43 SE	21/38 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	-0/-9	-0/-10	1/-8	2/-6	2/-7	0/-9	-0/-9
600	2/-5	2/-5	3/-4	5/-2	4/-2	3/-4	2/-5
300	4/-1	5/-1	6/1	7/2	6/1	4/-1	4/-2
Valley	5/0	6/1	8/3	9/4	8/3	6/0	5/0
Freezing Level*	900m	900m	800m	1000m	800m	600m	500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Windy throughout, especially on east to west ridges (such as Crib Goch), with strong southerly gales bringing a risk of being blown over. This will be accompanied by a notable wind chill with warm layers essential.

Forecast for Sunday 27 Feb 2022

Weather: Dry and bright. Sunny spells are expected, however likely a little cloudier than Saturday. This includes some cloud on modest southern and eastern slopes around dawn, along with some summit cloud potentially thickening through the afternoon. Still windy, with a chance of further isolated gales over the summits. Feeling cold in the wind.

Maximum wind: South 30 to 35mph gusting 40-50mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 70%, best chances late morning.

Low Cloud and visibility: Patches of cloud possibly obscuring some tops around 500m in the morning, before lifting. Further patches of cloud returning to obscure tops above 800m during the afternoon, lowering to 500m in places by the evening. Away from cloud good views likely with some distant peaks visible.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 3 rising to Plus 9 Celsius
At 800m: Zero to Plus 2 Celsius
Freezing level: 600m rising to above the summits.

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